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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 69.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:**Pursell, Gary**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-010677**Date Inspected:** 05-Dec-2009**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 700**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1900**Contractor:** Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China**CWI Name:** Mr. Qie wen**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** Tower**Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance(QA) Inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

Heavy dock –Jetty

1.This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 040724 perform SMAW repair welding on, inside Base plate to Skin E, in west tower, lift 1, weld joint identified as WSD1-A 423 B/H-122. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr.Qie wen. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-345-SMAW-2G (2F)-repair.

2.This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 062126 perform SMAW repair welding on, inside Base plate to Skin A, in west tower, lift 1, weld joint identified as WSD1-A 423 B/H-127. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Qie wen. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-345-SMAW-2G (2F)-repair.

3.This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 205642 perform SMAW Tack welding on, outside Bearing stiffener in East tower, lift 1, weld joint identified as ESD1-SA 233 -34. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Qie wen. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-P-2313-TC-P4.

Milling area

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4.This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 037840 perform FCAW welding on, 109 mtr. Skin C stiffener plate, weld joint identified as NSD1-FCSA3-3C/C-9, 11. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Liu zhong an. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-P-2314-TC-P4.

### Magnetic Particle Testing:

This QA inspector performed Magnetic Particle Testing (MT) of approximately 15% of the area previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated a TL-6028 MT report for this date. The member is identified as North tower, Lift 3, 102.5 mtr. Diaphragm and fit lugs on Skin C & D. The weld designations reviewed are as follows:

NSTL3- 3 H /K – Jt. nos -6, 7, 8, 60,61,62,75,76 – Skin C&D fit lugs

NSTL3- 3 H /K – Jt. nos – 12, 64 – Skin C and D to diaphragm

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

### Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations.

### Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Serge, Sinevod - 134-8257-0045, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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<b>Inspected By:</b>	Baskar,Govindarajan	Quality Assurance Inspector
<b>Reviewed By:</b>	Clifford,William	QA Reviewer

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